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NOTE FOR: Director of Logistics

FROM: [REDACTED]  
Chief, Supply Division, OL

SUBJECT: Review of OC Logistics System (U)

REFERENCE: Undtd Draft Memo to D/OC fm Messrs. [REDACTED] 25X1A  
[REDACTED] same subject (C)

Jim:

1. The referent, attached, is now in final draft and will be orally discussed with the Deputy Director of Communications on 25 January. Subsequently, it will be prepared in final and forwarded through you to the Director of Communications. (U)

2. [REDACTED] afforded me the opportunity of discussing this study with him in draft. A tremendous amount of time and effort have gone into it. It is well-thought-out, and while I do not agree with all of the recommendations, I agree that all of them are worthy of further investigation. I am particularly concerned regarding the cost effectiveness of some of the recommendations made should their implementation require new construction, increased staffing, or the employment of a large number of contract employees in CONUS. John is well aware of this and recognizes the need for further investigation of each of the recommendations they have made. It was never intended that this study be other than a "think piece." (C)

3. I think the referent comes at a very fortuitous time in that we in Supply are reexamining our own organization and how we can better supply support to our customers, particularly the Office of Communications (OC), which is our major customer. Because of this we think we might be at a point in time where we and OC should unite in our efforts to accomplish our mutual objectives. To that end, I would like to suggest that representatives of this Division, most probably [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] work with representatives of OC to investigate in further detail each of the recommendations made in the light of not only OC's but our own needs. John will incorporate this

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suggestion as the last recommendation of his paper, and I would hope that you would support it in your discussions with the Director of Communications. (U)

4. OC is our best customer, and I would look forward to the opportunity of developing ways we could support them better. This seems like the ideal opportunity to do just that! (U)

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